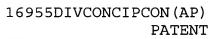
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application of

Woodward et al

Serial No: 08/876,937; Conf.

No. 5537

Filed: June 16, 1997

For: NON-ACIDIC CYCLOPENTANE HEPTANOIC ACID, 2-CYCLOALKYL OR ARYLALKYL DERIVATIVES AS

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## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant through his attorney respectfully petitions for an extension of time of three (3) months up to and including August 13, 2001 within which to respond to the Office Action of February 13, 2001. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge

\$ 110.00 for one-month

\$ 390.00 for two-month

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extension of the response period, or any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-0885. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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